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IN 2007, 50-MILLION CHILDREN LIVED WITH MARRIED PARENTS,
ACCORDING TO THE U-S CENSUS BUREAU. THAT COMPARES WITH
TWO-POINT-TWO MILLION CHILDREN WHOSE PARENTS WERE UNMARRIED
BUT LIVING TOGETHER. THESE NEW DATA ALSO SHOW THAT
60-POINT-SEVEN-MILLION MARRIED COUPLES LIVED TOGETHER IN
THE UNITED STATES IN 2007, COMPARED WITH
SIX-POINT-FOUR MILLION UNMARRIED COUPLES WHO LIVED
TOGETHER. OTHER FINDINGS REVEALED THAT MARRIED PARENTS
TENDED TO BE BETTER EDUCATED AND WERE MORE LIKELY TO OWN
THEIR OWN HOMES. WHETHER PARENTS WERE MARRIED OR UNMARRIED
AND LIVING TOGETHER, THE SURVEY SHOWED THAT ABOUT SEVEN OUT
OF TEN CHILDREN LIVED WITH TWO PARENTS. AMONG SINGLE
PARENTS, SIX OUT OF SEVEN WERE SINGLE MOTHERS. FOR MORE
INFORMATION, VISIT W-W-W DOT-CENSUS-DOT-GOV.

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